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April 19. MONARCH, British steamer, 1,521 Thompson, New York 20th February, or £13 General.—ORDER. April 19, YANGTEZE, Gorman str., 814, C. Torningsen, Shanghai 16th April, General.-\* A FIER being three years in force, each SIEMSBEN & Co.

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(b) £11.5.0. (c) £132.4. (d) £27.0.8 per quarter. April 20, KUMAMOTO MARU, Japane e steamer, 1.240. R. Pender, Kulchinetzu 15 April, Note.-It is an advantage to effect Provisions Coal .- MITSUT BUSSAN KAIRHA. of this nature early in life. By delay the rat April 20, Lydia. German str., 1,198, G. Peterof subscription increases; Death may coonr before the Provision is effected, or Health may sen, Kobs 14th April, General.—SIEMSSEN fail and render the life ineligible for Assurance.

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April 20. CHI-YUEN. Chinese steemer, 1,211; Shanghai 15th April, and Swatow 18th, General .- C. M. S. N. Co. April 20, ZAFIRO, British str., 775, McCasline Manila, and Amoy 19th April, General.-RUSSELL& Co.

April 20. Great Admiral, Amr. ship. 1,498, J. F. Rowell, San Francisco let March, Flour -RUSSELL & Co. April 20, BATAVIA, British steamer, 2,548, Hugh

W. Anld. Vancouver via Yokohame, Nagasaki and Shanghai 17th April. Mail and General.—ADAMSON, BELL & Co. April 20, Benkeds, British steamer, 1,455, John H. Clark, Salgon 16th April, General --

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Haesloop, Hamburg and Singapore 14th April, General.—Siemssen & Co. April 21, Cheang Hye Teng, British steamer 954, Scott, Singapore 13th April, General. -Chinese.

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Zafiro, British str., for Amoy. Antoinette, British bark, for New York, Goalpara, British str., for Amoy. Ferniosa, British str., for Swatow. Provincia, British str., for Saigon. Kumamoto-maru, Jap. str., for Kutchinotzu. Victoria, British str., for Nagasaki. Monarch, British str., for Shanghai. Southow, British str., for Holhow. Benarty, British str., for Snigon.

DEPARTURES.

April 19, BAYERN, German str., for Shanghai. April 19. BENALDER, British str., for Kobe. April 19, GENERAL WEEDER, German str., for Yokohama. April 19, HAILOOMO, British str., for Swatow.

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chinotzu. April, 21, MONARCH, British str., for Shanghai. April 21, VICTORIA, British str., for Nagasski. April 21, YANGESZE, Ger. str., for Whampon. April 21, CHI-YUEN, Chi. s(r., for Whampos.

PASENGERS.

Per Verona, str., from Yokohama, &c.-For Hongkong.-Mr. Forrest's native servant, and 2 Chinese, from Yokohama. From Kobs.-Mr. W. A. Burr. From Nagasaki - Miss Takahushi, Mr. E. Osborne, I Japanese, and 2 Chinese. For Singapore - Mr. G. Barlow, and native servant, from Kobe. For London.-Mr. M. V Webber, from Yokohama. From Kobe .- Mr.

Por Namoa, str., from East Coast.—Mr. and Mrs. King, Dr. at d Mrs. Macleish and family, Rev. Mr. Sadler, Mrs. Ede, Messrs. Malcampo and A. Hock, H.E. Taotai Teck and 2 sons, 2 Europeans, and 170 Chinese, deck. Per Chi-quen, str., from Shanghai and Swatow.-35 Chinese. Per Yangtese, str., from Shanghai.-16 Chi-

Per Zafiro, str., from Manils and Amoy.-Mr. Tannert, and 150 Chinese. Per Batavia, str., from Vancouver, &c .- Mr. W. Parker.

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REPORTS.

The German steamer Bellong, from Har , arg and Singapore 14th April, spoke the American bark Pilgrim, in lat. 7.15 N. and long. 107.10 E., from Boston for Manila, on the 16th April.

The British steamer Bataria, from Vancouver, via Yokohama 10th April, Nagasaki 14th, and Shanghai 17th, reports from Vancouver to Yokohama had strong N.W. and S.W. gales. From Yokohama to Nagasaki moderate easterly winds and fuggy weather. From Nagasaki to Shang. hai moderate S.E. winds and foggy weather From Shanghai to Turnsbout thick fogs; thence to port moderate N.E. winds and dull weather.

The British steamer Namoa, from Foochow 16th April, Amoy 17th, and Swatow 18th, reports from Foochow to Amoy experienced light N.E. winds and fine weather. From Amoy to Swatow light variable winds and thick forgy weather. From Swatow to port light variable winds with dull cloudy weather and occasional showers of rain. Steamer in Focolow Haeshin. Steamers in Amoy Taiwan, Fu-yew. China, and Choysang. Steamers in Swatow Kaiphong, Boo- chow, Chi-yuen, and R. C. Lee Kin.

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Hongkong, 12th March, 1887. ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN | 534 LIQUIDATION.

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Secretary (pro. tem.) Hongkong, 6th April, 1889. THE HONGKONG MASONIC CLUB. LIMITED.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING I OF SHAREHOLDERS of the above named Company will be held in the Masonic Club, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th April, at 5.30 P.M.

By Order of the Board. W. F. HATHERLEY, Secretary. 

\*HONGKONG CLUB. THE THIRD YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS of the CLUB, will be held at the Club House, on

THURSDAY, the 25th April, at 4.30 P.M. By Order, - C. H. GRACE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 15th April, 1889 HONGKONG CLUB. N EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL

ot (7).—The Ground and Tenements being CLUB, will be held immediately on the con-Nos. 1 & 2. Cross Street, containing an clusion of the above Third Yearly General Meeting, for the purposes set forth in the By Order, C. H. GRACE, Secretary.

> Hangkong, 17th April, 1889. THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED. HEAD PRICE-SHANGHAL

REGISTERED OFFICE-37 X 39, QUEEN'S. ROAD, HONOKONG. THE FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL FILE TING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Head Office,

13. Nanking Road Shanghai, at 11, o'Clock in the Forencon of SATURDAY, April 27th 1889, when the Report and Accounts for the year ended 28th February, 1889, will be The TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSE I from the 22nd to 27th instant both days in-By Order of the Directors,

W. HAYWARD, Shanghai, 5th April, 1889. THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING

COMPANY, LIMITED. THE STATUTORY GENERAL MEET I ING of the above Company will be held at the City Hall, on SATURDAY, the 27th instant, at 0.30 P.M. C. MOONEY.

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A. G. GOBDON,

Secretary,

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BANK: HOLIDAY N accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875, the Undermentioned Banks will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business TO. DAY, the 22nd inst. (Easter Monday). FOR THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF

INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA, JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong. FOR THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS-TEALIA, AND CHINA. T. H. WHITEHEAD.

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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION .-No. 169. THE following is published for general

Hongkong, 16th April, 1889.

information. FREDERICK STEWART, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hougkong, 13th April, 1889. NOTICE.

A Special Sessions of Her Majesty's Justices at the Magistracy, at 11 o'clock IN THE FORE-NOO" OF THURSDAY, the 25th day of April, for delivery from Craftor Godowns on and after 1854 for the purpose of con-idering an application from one JOHN WILLIAM OSBORNE. for a licence to sell intoxicating Liquors as an | will be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods adjunct to his business as Hotel Keeper at must be left in the Godowns, where they will be ( raigisburg, Lots Nos. 5 and 7, Plankett's Gap, examined. Mount Gough. H. E. WODEHOUSE, Police Magistrate.

Magistracy, Hongkong, 11th April, 1889 ADVERTISEMENT. NEW CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHI

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP "BATAVIA," FROM VANCOUVER, YOKOHAMA, AND SHANGHAL

COMPANY.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Con-I siguees- of Cargo are hereby requested have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining to send in their Bills of Lading for counter- undelivered after the 27th inst., will be subject signature, and take immediate delivery of their to rent. Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Yessel be left in the Godowns, where they will be

Orders addressed TH. GORS, BATAVIA, will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk examined on the 27th instant, at 4 P.M. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 21st April, 1889.

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ADVERTISEMENTS THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO PHAREHOLDERS. THE TENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Head Office on FRIDAY, the 26th April, 1889, at HALF-PAST TWO O'CLOCK P.M., for the presentation of the Report of the Directors and Accounts to the 31st December, 1888, the declaration of Dividends, the election of Directors and Auditors for the current year, and the transaction of any other business which

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 20th By Ordert of the Court of Directors. ALEXR. ROSS

Shanghai, I th April, 1859. JAPAN BREWERY COMPANY,

YOTICE is hereby given that the FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEET NG of the JAPAN BREWERY COMPANY, LIA TIED. will be held at No. 7. Water Street, Yokohama, on MONDAY, 29th day of April, 1889, at 4 o'clock r.m., for the purpose of receiving and adopting the Directors' Report and Accounts; electing Directors and Auditors, and transacting the ordinary business of the Company. Dated at Yokohama this 10th day of April.

By Order of the Board. J. DONALDSON. SOCIETE FRANCAISE DES CHAR

BONNAGES DU TONKIN. NTOTICE is hereby given, that the FIRST MEETING of SPARFHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Office. Hongay (Tonquin), on FRIDAY, the Thirty-first day of May, at Noon.

To receive the reports on the state of the Mines, Sales of Property, to advance meneys on and to fill vacancies on the board of Directors. The Owners of at least I wenty Sharesto bearer, in order to have the right of attending the above any business in connection with Landed Pro- | Meeting, shall deposit their Shares either with the undersigned, or with the Chief Manager of application at the Company's Offices, No. 7, the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Cor-PORAT ON, not later than Fifteen Days before the Meeting and there shall be delivered to them a Card of Admission to the Meeting By Order of the Board of Directors.

ALEXANDER LEVY 20th April, 1889s

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION .-No. 186. ETHE following Notice is published for general information: By Command,

lonial Socretary's Office. Hongkong, 20th April, 1809. A Special Sessions of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace will be held at the Justices' Room. at the Magistracy, at ELEYEN O'CLOCK IN THE are bereby notified that SCRIP is ready FORENOON of THURSDAY, the second day of May, A.D. 1889, for the purpose of considering an application from the widow of CAEL MEER-COVITZ for permission to transfer the business

781 as a licensed publican formerly carried on by her late husband in House No. 308. Queen's Road Central under the sign of Hose, Shamrock and Thistle Hotel to her father ISRAEL WEINBERG. H: ENVODEHOUSE: Police Magistrate.

FREDERICK STRWART

. Coloniai Secretary

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA DIRECT.

Magistracy.

Hongkong, 18th April, 1889.

Captain McCaslin will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 22nd inst., at Form For Freight or Passage, apply to General Managers. Hongkong, 20th April, 1839

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW: # iHE Company's Steamship "NAMOA."

Captain Goddard, will be despatched for the

above Ports TO-MORROW, the 23rd inst.; at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Goueral Managers. Hongkong, 20th April, 1889. FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA:

"PORT JACKSON." R. Huddy. Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 24th For Freight or Passage, apply to

THE Steamship

Hongkong, 22nd April, 1889. TOCONSIGNEESOFOPTIONALCARGO EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "ORESTES." FROM LIVERPOOL.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 21st inst., for shipment por steamer "AJAX." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 20th April, 1889

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer " ORESTES. are liereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and or landed at the Coof the Peace will be held at the Justices' Room, downs of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready Goods undelivered after the 27th instant

> BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkoug, 20th April, 1889. -FROM-HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship "BELLONA," Capt. C. Haesloop, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from alongside. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godawns of the Kowloon Pier and Godown Co. and stored at Consignoes' risk'

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to

No Fire Insurance has been effected. SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkoug, 21st April, 1889.

NOW READY. 1889. HRONICLE AND DIRECTORY For 1889. With which is incorporated THE CHINA DIRECTORY. (TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL ISSUE).

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order, the initials as well as the surname being alphabetical. The MAPS and PLANS have been mostly

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PLAN OF MOUNTAIN DISTRICT, VICTORIA. PLAN OF FOREIGN CONCESSIONS, SHANGHAL. PLAN OF YOROHAMA. PLAN OF MANILA. PHAN OF SAIGON. AN OF TOWN AND ENVIRONS OF SINGAPORE

PLAN OF GEORGE TOWN, PENANG. Among the other contents of the book are-An Anglo-Chinese Calendar, Mean of Barome ter and Thermometer, Rainfall, &c. the advent of foreigners to China and Japan. A description of Chinese Festivals, Fasts, &c.,

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We give to-day a chapter of Mr. Baring.

The Agent informs us that the M. M. steamer

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On Saturday evening a number of his Ma-

To-day being Easter Monday, and observed as

general holiday, there will be no issue of the

grants has been confirmed by Hor Majesty.

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We (Foothow Echo) understand that the form-

ing Company's property has been duly signed

in Hongkong, and that the promoters of the new-

It is notified in the Gazette that the Hon. J.

onic friends gave a dinner to Mr. E. J. Main,

slight but yet perceptible vertical carth tremou

Salgon at 7 a.m. yesterday for this port.

was felt in Peking at 4.45 p.m., 28th March.

Gould's story "The Pennycomequicks," which

was crowded out of Saturday's issue.

Private Secretary to His Excellency the Go-

DRYING BOTTLES.

The C. P. steamer Batavia strived here on A. S. W. & Co. beg to call attention to their | Saturday with the Canadian mail, but the news brought on by her has been anticipated. NEW PATENT DRYING BOTTLES, which have been especially designed by and manufactured It is notified in the Gasette that the Hon. J. J Keswick has been recognised as in charge of the for them. Hawaiian Consulate-General at this port.

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The Paily Press.

ping Extras will be published as usual. HONGKONG, APRIL 22ND, 1889. to consolidate the law rolating to Chinese pas-THE agitation for compulsory Sunday senger ships and the conveyance of Chinese emiobservance in Hongkong, which has been kept up for many months past, may be considered as finally laid to reat by the Governor's speech at Thursday's meeting of the Legislative Council. The proposal was, as has been more than once pointed out in these columns, an entirely impracticable one. It was made on behalf of the Europeans employed on board ship, and this deserving class are undoubtedly to be sympathised with in the deprivation of the weekly rest day arranged under one Alphabet in the strictest to which they are subjected. It would however, be impossible to make any law by which Sunday rest could be secured to these men without enforcing it also on a much larger class who would not only not regard it as a boun, but would consider it a positive hardship to be deprived of the opportunity of working on that particular day. onse of the Treaty Ports of China has been frequently mentioned as showing that the proposal is feasible. What constion of labour there is on board ship at the Treaty Ports on Sunday is due to the fact that the Custom House is closed on that day. The cessation is, however, only partial, for permits to work cargo can be obtained by payment of special A full Chronology of remarkable events since fees. In Hongkong, where there is no Custom House, wessels require no permit, and work goes on on Sunday very much as it does on other days. If it is desired to stop it a the refused of the Perak Tin Mining and Smelt- Chinese Times. direct law for the purpose would be neces-Scales of Commissions and Charges adopted by sary. The reasons why such a law could not be brought into operation were shown with great force in the Governor's speech. The advocates for compulsory Sunday rest say they do not desire it to be universal,

but that it should apply only to European constantly required by residents and those put that it should apply only to European having commercial or political relations with the manued chips. The onus rests on them to Countries embraced within the scope of the show how their proposition could be carried a brother of Ma Kien-chong does come, it will ! This they have failed to do. They be to replace Yuen, the Resident. might have presented a draft Bill for the Governor's consideration, so that their proposals might have been examined in detail but if they had attempted to draft such a Bill they would have found themselves face to face with insuperable difficulties; It would and one tow line was cut by the screw. have been impossible for them to stop at work affoat, if they had any regard to con-Russell, C.M.G., Chief Justice, has been granted sistency. It Sunday rest is good for a suifer it must be good for all other men, and and two months' vacation leave that Mr. Jusconsequently if Sunday work were to be tice Fielding Clarke, LL.B., Phiane Judge, has has nine children, and judging from the son who stopped on board ship why not at the sugar been appointed Acting Chief Justice; Mr. A. refineries and other industrial establishments Shepherd, Acting Registrar of the Supreme ashore? But even if the law were confined Court. to ships, it would not all be plain sailing. It is admitted that it would be unfair to apply for ending 31st March show that during that it to junks. To say that junks do not enter into competition with steamers and European 48

decided advantage, while the other alterna-

tive would at once set on foot a tendency to

in the working of cargo, and in the case of

some at least of the Chinese sweed ships

they might not improbably be dispensed with

Following out the principles of the compul-

to be no Sunday delivery of letters,

for this necessarily entails work on the Eu-

ropean staff of the Post Office. We believe,

could be brought about by anything short

States. No one, of course, proposes any-

only's particular class the injustice and im-

In England work stops on Sunday, because

public opinion and the feelings of the work-

mon as well as employers are in favour of

built sailing vessels is too patently absurd and the deaths 857. The death rate for the an argument to require refutation. But fair, to apply it to Chinese owned vessels of A very successful trial trip was mude yesterlaw be determined by the description of the vessel or the nationality of her crew? In the former case junks would be placed at a

day afternoon with the river steamboat Hankow. The Hankow has undergone a thorough overhaul and repairing and is now practically a new vessel. No expense has been spared in hor refit and she is likely to prove one of the most convenient and comfortable vessels on the line. She takes her place on the Hongkong-Canton run to morrow night, relieving the Fatchen, which goes into dispense with Europeans as much as possible | dock.

A very bad case of earring snatching was heard before Mr. Wodehouse on Saturday morn-Hongkong and Shanghai Bank about II a.m. altogether in that department. There is when a boy came suddenly behind her and tore her earrings from her, lacerating her sars in a sory Sunday rest party there ought of course

mails to be delivered on Sunder, but even to allow the mail steamers to work cargo. that notwithstanding such agreement, any error know what he was doing. Here, then, would be a palpable injustice, that may be discovered prior to the granting of a Crown lease may be rectified.

giving the mail steamers a decided advantage The Deli Courant notes the arrival there on over other vessels as cargo carriers. The the 2nd instant of the steamer Fidelic. with more closely the proposition is examined the Skinese immigrant coolies and much cargo for greater do the difficulties attending it ap- Penang and Singapore. She came direct from pear. We fail to see how the end desired | China. In commenting on the alleged kidnapping case on board the steamer China, that journal says that the coolies coming by direct of a universal law for the compulsory obser- steamer to Deli and afterwards refusing to enter vance of Sunday similar to those established into labour contracts there are sent, back to Hongkong. They are never forced to remain. by the Paritan settlers in the New England

papers that Pahang gold had found its way up to Peking and is made into gold bars there, the there was put up a piece of paper, which was a rething of this kind, but even if it were possible to bring into operation a law affecting Chirese Times save that no gold comes, or profrom any place south of the Yangteze at any propriety of making the observance of a re-The Peking gold comes from places ligious festival compulsory would remain perfectly well known:-Mongolia, Mauchuria, the Amur country, and from districts round the same in kind, differing only in degree.

smuggled from Russian territory. losses incurred by the native tea hongs of Foc- | the bidding was confined to Mr. Struggell, who chow, we are informed that they intend to curtail | bought them for himself and a Chinaman. the weekly holiday, but trains, tramways, and buses run on that day, and when there the preceding year, not so much money has been | the purpose of a law suit-whether this is so or sent up country. It is said that in making not we are unable to say. A difficulty is said to Galop is a pressure work is carried on in industrial advances to the up-country tes-men, every pre- have arisen over Bentongs in this way. A large undertakings. It is not the force of law but the force of public opinion that secures Sunmen got advances. So far, so good, but we fear take up the shares because the transfers from day rest in England, and a puritanical law that the matter will end here and that in spite | England are unaccompanied by scrip. It would of notices and exhortations the same rubbishy not be surprising if the complications arising would have as little chance of passing there

contemporary gives some more details of the xe- Mr. J. Glades, the proprietor of O Progresso, Seven shots. No entrance fee. Seven prises. snakes into torto ses, and various insects into The British corvette Constance, Captain Keppel, arrived here on the 19th instant, from cent accident to the C. N. steamer Woosung. he Portuguese newspaper, has just lost his two Position-sitting or kneeling. He says the Woosung arrived at Swatow from tehildren after a severe attack of fever, A little Lieut. Carlyle, nominated by Mrs. Shelton Shanghai on the 9th inst. When passing Su- girl three and a half years old died last Monday | Hooper ...... gar Loaf Island, the steering-gear by some after a sickness of eight hours, and a little boy, Mr. Ford, nominated by Mrs Ford means—at present unknown—became jammed, two and a half, died this morning at 4 o'clock. P.C. W. Robertson, nominated by Mrs. The vessel sheered immediately towards Double Mr. Guedes's house is situated close to where Island; the engines were put full speed astern, they have been piling mud from the Socchow E. L. Woodin, nominated by Mrs. J. H. Cox 24 but as the vessel went astern, she sheered, caus- Creek, and it is thought that that was the cause | Capt. Collinson, nominated by Mrs. G. E. ing her to touch a rock. The steering gear was of their illness. We are glad that the Municigot in order and the vessel came up to Swatow. | pal Council have taken steps to stop the danger. Her hottom is damaged, and the cargo is being discharged as quickly as possible to ascertain to what extent.

about half-past eleven c'clock, the wooden door cess, to say nothing of our timber, minerals, and binson ...... Natel, with the next ontward Fronch mail, left. It is notified in the Gazette that the Lazarette some ashes near the door, and in this way it is ing; while we have direct communication with and the Gunpowder Depot are exempted from the operation of the Stoneoutters' Island Or- fire was discovered, the alarm was telephoned sailing vessels engaged in the timber trade, but by some means the news was spread that pass that of Sarawak." Chiarini's Circus was expected to arrive at the fire was up the Foodhow Road, and different Amoy on the 18th inst. and was advertised to engines and hose reels went in this direction. give its opening performance on the night of As it happened, the services of the firemen were not required, but the mistake caused a great The appointment of the Hon. J. J. Keswick dealfof uppleasant talk, and it would be well if to be an unofficial member of the Legislative some explanation of the mistake could be given. Council vice Hon. J. Bell-Irving, absent on

Referring to the guano deposits in British North Borneo, the Herald says :- " Mr. Methley, who left sgain on the 18th March by the steamer Else, came to inspect and report upon the guano in the Gormanton caves on behalf of a small but Past Master of St. John's Lodge, who is going influential body of men 'at home' consisting of himself and three or four others. These gentlemen wished to work the guane of which they are believed to hold a concession granted some years since to others but not taken advantage Hongkong Daily Press on Tuesday. The Ship! of, and are understood to have offered to construct a railway for that purpose. They desired to satisfy themselves that the caves and guano It is notified in the Guiette that the Ordinance were what they believed them to be; and with that end in view Mr. Methley started off with a party of explorers under the leadership of Mr. Allard to make an inspection. Though no re-The Daily News says:- "We are told that port has been publicly made, we have good rea-Chinese residents state that there has not been son to believe that the party's hopes were more such a late spring as this year's since 1849; and than realized, and that we shall shortly bear a they also state that 1843 was an exceedingly good deal about these caves and a very considerable new commercial undertaking."

If the Tung-wen College does not thrive it is er residence of Messrs. Geo. Oliver & Co. has not for want of official nurses. The Peking passed into the bands of the American Methodist Gazette reports that the Marquis Teeng had a UNIONIST SUCCESS IN BIRMINGHAM. Mission for the modest sum of \$10,000. It is special audience to thank the Emperor for the purpose of the Mission to run a girl's school having appointed him to superintend the affairs of the College. This would allow us to hope that at last the ministerial oversight of the The French erniser Villars, Commander institution was placed in thoroughly competent Mayet, arrived here on Friday morning, the hands, but it is not exactly so, for another official, 19th instant, from Manila, which port she left | Hau Yung-yi, a Vice-President of the Board of on the 16th instant. On anchoring she ex. Works, has received the same appointment, and changed salutes with the port and the Victor he also returned thanks at the same time, though Emanuel, The Villars relieves the Primauguet | this has not so far been mentioned in the Gazette. This arrangement is, of course, in strict accordance with the dual system which forms so curious Powers will be held: It is notified in the Gazette that His Honour a feature in the Chinese administrative arrange-Mr. Justico Fielding Clarke, Hen. H. E. Wode- ments, which regard checks which neutralise achouse, C.M.G., and Hon, N. G. Mitchell-Innes | tion and more importance than unity of purpose have been appointed to act as Trustees of St. Buth the superintendents are Ministers of the John's Cathedral on behalf of the Government, Taung-li Yamen, allof whose members figure in the pending the conference. and Mr. C. Ford to act as Auditor on behalf of | College calendar as a Board of Regents. Many indications have been given of late that the Government is disposed to raise the Tung-wen His Honour Mr. Justice Fielding Clarke, College to the status of a University, in which LL.B., and Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C., have been however, it seems not unlikely to be beaten i appointed members of the Law Revision Com. the race by the Methodist Episcopal Mission, mittee, and Mr. A. P. Stokes, Acting Crown which is busily engaged in organising the " Pe-Solicitor, has been appointed a member during king University." The appointment of the two the absence on leave of Mr. A. B. Johnson, above-named superintend : 13, following close upon the erection of an observatory and the promulgation of a law connecting the College Says the N. C. Daily News: -" We hear that with the civil examinations, is cortainly significant news has been received that the agreement for ficant of a design to move with the times .-

The Sarawak Gezette has the following about company have sent home for an engineer to come | the Pangeran Shabandar, who caused the recent out and report on the value of the Company's trouble in North Borneo :- In a casual conversation with the Data Bandar of Sarawak, whilet he was in Labuan, the Pangeran Shabandar A Secul correspondent writes to the Chinese stated that he did not desire to live in Brunei Times: - We hear that it is possible a brother for the reason that "the posts of the house beof Ma Kien-chong, the Chief of C. M. S. N. Co., came rotten without any product of the soil will come to Keron shortly to replace Judge coming in to replace them." He also remarked Denny. There is also a rumon that Dr. Martin, that hedid not wish his family brought up in the beat C. Hirst (awes 15) of sking, is the chosen adviser. Possibly, if Brunei school amongst the old and effete rem. C. Platt (scratch) beat J. S. Exenants of royalty in that city. He wished to bave land on which himself and his family and his followers could farm and plant, and he named G. H. Potte (owes 15) beat G. S. A Shanghai paper states that the ateamer Muarra or Pandaruan as his probable home Shinsheng, in towing the lighter Tongshan, be in future. Whether, however, he intends Capt. A. Blackburn (scratch) beat longing to the Taku Tug and Lighter Co., from living in either of these places remains to Shanghal to Tientsin, grounded on the banks be seen; he has received no invitation inside of Shaweishan Island, and in consequence settle in either distict, but in both there is the lighter ran into the steamer. Some damage | plenty of room and any one is at liberty to come was done to the lighter and some to the steamer, to or leave them as they like. There is a reason perhaps why the Pangeran and his followers should settle in Muarra: that is because in former days these people worked the Labuan coal mines, since closed, and now they might feel six months' leave of absence on half 'salary and inclined to earn a livelihood'in the same way by working in the Muarra-mines. The Pangeran accompanied him to Labuan, they are apparently G. Wise, Acting Puisne Judge; and Mr. Bruce | well brought up. The boy was about fourteen years of age and could read and write Malay fluently; he also knew something of the English character and language, and was besides well-

The Registrar General's returns for the quardressed and well-mannered. A dreadful murder is reported from Shangperiod the number of births amongst the British and Foreign community was 53, and the deaths hal. A house in Honem Road was occupied by Posts Amongst the Chinese the births were 389 a Cantonese girl, the mistress of a foreign officer | Sawyer ... on a coasting steamer. She used also to be visit- Coxon the British and Foreign community was 17.90, ed by a silk boy in good employment at a foreign for the Chinese 18.99, and for the whole popula- hong. On the evening of the 12th instant this boy went to the house and found the Cantoneso girl baving her evening meal with her girl Platt beat Hawkins ..... twelve years of ere, and two amahs one her Sawyer own and the other a friend. He asked her to give him the loan of fifty dollars, and ou her refusing to let him have either the money or lothes to pawn in order to raise the amount, he threatened to kill her. Following up his threat he immediately produced a revolver and began firing. The two amahs endeavoured to protect the girl, and they received the shots, one of them falling dead, while the other, after being hit twice, jumped out of the window. The child was also shot through the chest, but no ing. A married woman was walking past the killed. The Cantoness girl was uninjured. When the amah jumped out of the window the alarm was given and the house broken into: the people who entered were upstairs. He was bour and ordered him to be whipped twice, twelve subsequently traced, and apprehended. The wounded amah and the little girl were conveyed to the hospital, and en inquest was held by the

The Singapore Free Press of the 12th inst says :- A curious transaction took place last a share in the plunder. With the subsidence has arisen apparently the necessity for another Bentong shares, delivery early in April. unusual an announcement was enough to set ceipt from a Singapore merchant for 8250 which hattly ever came, to Peking from Pahang or had been paid by way of a deposit on 50 Benor the beginning of May. This seems to have been all that was present in the way of scrip, and the bidding ran up to \$45 a share, at which Jehol. It is said that no appreciable quantity is price the receipt, or shares, whichever was being The Foochow Echo says:-In consequence of concourse of brokers and lawyers present, but gramme:-

article will be brought to market as in former from the present circumstances give rise to a

The Swatow correspondent of a Shanghai The Shanghai Mercury of the 15th inst. says: bers or their nominees. Distance 300 yards

A Borneo correspondent of the Straits Times | G. Lammert, nominated by Miss Lammert writes :-- "Now that the Padas Damit emeute is R. G. Hopkins, nominated by Miss Hopkins 2 ever, and the country of the Shabandar is under H. J. Helmes, nominated by. Mrs. Holmes Says the Shanghai Courier of the 15th inst.: the Company's flag, the progress of the Colony A. Woolley, nominated by Miss Crown .... -Prompt and energetic action saved the well- is once more the constant subject of congratula- H. F. Hayllar, nominated by Miss Section ... known store of Messrs. Llewellyn & Co. from tion on all sides. If tobsoco growing, as proved J. M. Forbes, nominated by Mrs. Forbes. destruction by fire-last night. It appears that up to the present, is to be the criterion of suc- Lieut. Martin, nominated by Mrs. E. Roof a closet under the stairs in the passage behind natural products, then North Borneo, is likely to G. C. Anderson, nominated by Miss Anderthe store was found to be on fire, and plenty of take a prominent position in the near future. water being at hand in kongs and barrels the One thing remarkably noticeable is the great A. Shelton Hooper, nominated by Mrs. R. foreign and native staff succeeded in extinguish- increase of steam communication between our ing the flames and only triffing damage was ports and Singapore, in which trade no less than done: A thoughtless coclie or cook had placed eight steamers have been, or are about, engag. supposed the fire was caused. As soon as the Hongkong. Our return of tonnage, including for the brigade, and the fire bells were rung, will soon, at the present rate of progress, sur-

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

AUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 16th April. THE BUDGET.

The Budget surplus for the past year amounts to £2,790,000, but this has been swallowed up by the surrender of local taxation. The increased Naval outlay will cause a deficit for the ensuing wear of £1,900,000. The Chancellor of the Exchequer proposes an increase in the death duties. an increase in the duty on beer of one-fourteenth of a penny per gallon, and states that he nuable to abolish the duty on silver plate.

LONDON, 18th April. POLITICAL AFFAIRS IN FRANCE. Numerous dominiliary visits are being made in Paris and in the provinces.

THE HEALTH OF THE KING OF HOLLAND. The King of the Netherlands is improving.

DEFEAT OF THE MAHDI. Senoussi has defeated the Mahdi, who has fallen back on Khartoum.

Mr. Albert Bright, the Unionist candidate, has been elected M.P. for Central Birmingham. FROM SINGAPORE PAPERS.

LONDON, 11th April. THE AFRICAN SLAVE TRADE. Active pegociations are going on with regard te the suppression of the African Slave trade and it is probable that a conference of the Great

THE SITUATION IN SAMOA. England, the United States, and Germany have agreed to each retain a war vessel at Samoa

LONDON, 12th April. THE KING OF ITALY'S VISIT TO-GERMANY. King Humbert's visit to Berlin is fixed for

the 13th May next. THE CITY MERCHANTS AND THE FIRST LORD OF THE TREASURY The City Merchants have given a complimentary dinner to the Right Hon. W. H. Smith to mark their appreciation of his leadership of the House of Commons.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

LAWR TENNIS HANDICAP (SINGLES); CUR PRESENTED BY MR. C. A. TOMBS. The following are the results in full of the

Gray (receives 30) scratched. G. Stewart (owes + 30) ...... beat S. W. Bethell (receives 6-0.6-2. 0-1. 0-3, H. P. Wadman (receives 2 15) best M. Atkinson (owes 15) a bye. 6-1. 6-1 8-6. 6-4

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION

The seventh prize meeting of the above Association opened on Friday last at Kowloon. weather has so far been good, although the light. The boy, who had apparently concealed himself on Friday was not all that could be desired, while terrible manner. Mr. Wodehouse sentenced the downstairs, is supposed to have slipped out while the rather strong wind on the same day may necount for the fact that the shooting all round was not quite up to the average of last year The number of competitors still keeps up, a The revised draft of the Praya Reclamation Bill Chemien on the body of the amah who was large number entering for the various events on is published in Saturday's Gazette. In addition killed. It was at first reported that the crime both days. The highest score at the 200 yards to the alterations mentioned at the last meeting had been committed by a foreigner, and cur- is so far 34, at the 500 yards 47 out of a possible however, they are so far prepared to depart of the Legislative Council, it is provided that a rency was given to the report by the Shën-pao, 50. and at 900 yards 33 out of a possible 35. On their principles as not only to allow the period of two months is to be allowed to chapse but no foreigner was near at the time. When the after the plan is deposited and schedule publish murderer was brought up at the Mixed Court. Saturday there were a large number of visitored before the agreements are entered into, and he said he was drunk at the time and did not at the range to witness the shooting for the Ladies' Purse, Ladies' Competition, and Councils' Competition. H. E. the Governor, Lady night. In the recent "rush" for shares of all Des Voor, and H. E. Major-General Edwards were kinds, there has not proved any lack of competent among those present. The Ladies' Purse was brokers to do the necessary transfer business, while | won by P.C. Warnock, and the Ladies' Competi not a few outsiders have bid for and have obtained tion was carried off by Lieut. Carlyle, the nominee of Mrs. Shelton Hooper. The Councils' Comcourse of action, for outside Mesers. Powell and potition was won by Mr. J. J. Keswick, the Co.'s was to be seen a notice of the sale of 50 latest addition to the Legislative Council, Major-General Edwards being second. The prizes speculation rife. When the time came for the for the Ladies and Councils Competitions were Referring to the report in the Singapore sate there was some bitch, for the shares were not presented on the range on Saturday afternoon by sold. Subsequently in Mr. Crane's Auction Room | Lady Des Voux, the Ladies' Purse being presented by Miss Sexton. At the conclusion of the distribution, the Secretary, Mr. Shelton tong shares to be delivered at the end of April Hooper, thanked Lady Des Voux for presenting the prizes and Miss Sexton and the ladies of Hongkong for the kindness and interest displayed in making up the purse. During the sold, was knocked down to the owner of the re- afternoon the Band and Pipers of the Regiment ceipt, Mr. W. Strognell. There was a large were present and played the following pro-

"Nannie, wilt thougang wi'me "... Wakelen their business; consequently, in comparison with is said the performance was gone through for Selection... Geneviere di Brahapt ......... Offenbach God Save the Queen.

and in such a way that none but first class tes- ning of May, but there is an indisposition to day. We are unable to give the results so far, as with regard to natural history. In treating on phermalia. Arrived at the Guild-house, the part of the control of the the scores are not yet made up, but we append the origin of creatures dwelling on earth, the the totals made in the three competitions shot editor propounds some notions which are peroff on Saturday afternoon;

Major Verner Chater, nominated by Mrs.

BOD ...... H. Kimball

D. Wood, nominated by Mrs. F. W. Cross K. McK. Ross, nominated by Mrs. Loxley F. H. Shepherd, nominated by Miss Shephord E. B. Shepherd, nominated by Mrs. B. Shopherd ..... Major Dempster, nominated by Mrs. Demp-

LADIES' PURSE .- Presented by the ladies W. G. Warnock, P.C. Chas. Ford ..... G. Byrne, R.M.L.I. G. P. Lammert H. J. Holmes ..... 27 Gen. Gordon ..... Lieut. Martin, R.N. Capt. Collinson ...... F. G. Colling F. Howell ..... W. Robertson, P.C.... A. G. Vincent...... 25 F. W. Cross Col. Sergt. Delauey F. H. Shepherd D. Wood .....-21 J. M. Forbes C. V. Ladds W. Jackson A. Shelton Hooper..... Sergt, D. McDonald ..... R. F. Drury.... R. G. Hopkins. K. McK. Ross COUNCILS' COMPETITION .- Past and present members of the Executive and Legislative Councils of Hongkong. Distance 200 yards. Seven

shots. Two prizes. Hon. J. J. Keswick Major-General Edwards ..... Col. Storer Hon. H. E. Wodehouse ..... Col. Craster.....

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

An extraordinary meeting of the shareholders in the above company was held on Saturday afternoon. There were present: -- Measrs, W. G. Brodie (Chairman), T. E. Mavies, (director), E. Georg, J. S. Perry, W. Legge, S. A. Joseph C. Mooney, E. L. Reuter, J. C. da Cunha, F. Barr. s. C. A. Ozorio, A. F. J. Soares, H. G. James, W. Judd, P. B. Cama, J. C. dos Romedios, and gave him a severe bitc, in revenge it is sai J. M. G. Manuk, and A. O'D. Gourdin (Secre-

The SECRETARY read the resolution that the capital be increased to \$600,000, which was passed at the former meeting.

The CHAIRMAN proposed that the resolution be now confirmed. Mr. James seconded, and the motion was unanimously carried The CHAIRMAN-That is all the business of

the meeting, and I thank you for your attendance, Mr. Joseph-I should like to ask when Mr. Becher is likely to go home. The CHAIRMAN-I think he will go home in three or four weeks.

Mr. JOSEPH-That is the latest? The CHAIRMAN-Probably the latest. If he can make it convenient to go sooner than that, he will go. It is left in Mr. Becher's hands to make every necessary arrangement and to announce when he is ready. It is not the directors' intention to delay his departure for a moment. A committee in London has, been formed to act with him on his arrival. They are aware of his proposed early departure, and if there is anything to done before he gets there it will be done, but doubtless they will wait his arrival. Mr. Joseph-You say there is a committee in London. What committee?

The CHAIRMAN-A committee formed to help 6-2. 6-2. Mr. Becher in the disposal of our property. Mr. JOSEPH-Sharsholders, I suppose The CHAIRMAN-Yes, shareholders who are

Mr. LEGGE-Before we separate, Mr. Chair man, I would like to propose a vote of thanks to yourself and Mr. Davies. I regret to see the ther directors have not considered the matter worthy of their attention, or in some way, or other they have made engagements which have prevented them from attending to the interests 6-2. 6-3. of the body of the shareholders. I do not wish to move a vote of censure, but I leave it to them to read what I have said .- (Laughter). The meeting then terminated.

> SUMMARY OF THE " KWANG-PAO."

subject of the decennial selection of gyaduates where men and women assemble together. To appears in to-day's issue, and special attention is bright-coloured jackets and waistcoats of the called to several rules which the Board notifies flowers and other ornaments, are shocking to t will be observed in the selection. Graduates are view of sober respectable citizens, who know the enjoined to send in their pedigree, to forward money/should not be squandered by men on su proper scourities; graduates whether Manchus, Mongols, or Chinese, are told that no distinction will be drawn between these three classes: graduates who have held office are informed that be arrested and punished; and the responsibili they are eligible, and so on.

not be overlooked. A large fish weighing 200 cattles was brought to the fish market in Macao. The name of this fish was unknown to all the fishermen, who had not seen anything of the kind before. In Shao-ching a large and heavy tablet sus-

pended over the entrance to the Kuan-ti Temple fell down and bruised a bystander's leg. A woman was imposed upon by a man to buy

eleven pearls which he said he would let her have the Rice Granaries, but the Harbour-mast cheap as he had stolen them. The woman apprehensive lest this should cause the ri readily paid two dollars, but on her return home discovered that the pearls were one and all false much crowded together, advised the form On the 12th a band of robbers dressed up as soldiers entered a house and carried away every. The salt dryers objected a good d

A teacher had six sons, all of whom have turned out to be had characters. Two of them were lately found in a house where they intended built near the fort. The bridge is now in P to carry out evil designs. A fight-occurs in Kueishan between an elder number of which have arrived, hampered by

and a younger brother on account of some difference as to the boundary line of their respect from going higher up the river, are suchered tive fields.

from a pawnshop, but just as he had put his foot. in the street a thief made a snatch at them, and succeeded, though pursued, in effecting his escape. A man and a woman having been seen to- Tseng Kwoh-fan, the other of Tse Tsung-tra gother in a chair, they were pursued and on inquiry it was discovered that the man was a Proclamation from the Treasurer Wang pro- Peking. The celebrated Tseng Kwoh-fan,

clamations affixed to the walls. It would appear that the general belief is that these seals have conqueror of Kashgaria, was also a Hanan m the influence of a charm.

The issue of to-day gives a leading article

The shooting in the finals will take place to- entertained by the greater number of Chinese Paring, Comparinton, Ober to Ireda went stableton into deal Aspen just place their space times why processed pand

shrimps into dragon flies, worms into waspr. spheres or dauber wasps. What mysteries and wisdom there is in Nature he explains, but it is far more mysterious that an editor who has had a certain amount of foreign reading should still

24 publish such nonsensical trash. A petition has been presented to the Nanhai Magistrate that no houses or shops should be raised on a certain site facing the river us the channel will gradually become narrowed by sulsequent incursions.

· A marble bridge in Shao-ching was washed away by heavy torrents of water, and two men who were crossing over at the time were swept away and drowned.

Another passenger boat attacked by pirates, who succeeded in carrying out their designs. An epium smoker at the instance of his wife gives up the habit of opium smoking, but his health scou ran down and he died.

A wife refused permission to pay a visit to her parents committed suicide on being harshly treated and spoken to by her husband. A villager came to Canton with a hundred dollars in his pocket to purchase goods, but on his arrival, the guieties of the place proved too much

Hongkong. Distance 3 O yards. Seven shots. for him and after a visit to a gambling house he came out a poor man. Unable to console himself he tried to commit suicide, but was after some difficulty dissunded. An employé in a shop absconds with money be-

longing to his employer. , A man, who had been ailing from a serious

ailment and could find no relief in medicines, committed suicide in a fit of depression by jumping into the river. A man walks into a shop and while left alone inspecting several articles of clothing he put

one or two away on his person. His attempt to steal was, however, detected. A son who had been abroad for ten years sends a remittance to his father, but as luck would have it his parents had already died.

19th April.

The leader exposes the fallecy of an indelent and unconcerned life. Strength, the writer says develops by exercise and mental faculties by practice. And vain is it for a man on the occurrence of any failure or discomfiture to attribute every thing to bad luck when the whole blame fells upon him for want of proper energy. At Kao Yao on the 6th a heavy fall of hai

came down which caused considerable damage. The candidates form Kung-men not having arrived in time the examinations have been put off pending their arrival. A kidnapper of coolies to be sent abroad came across a man who in a fit of bad spirits conse

quent upon heavy losses sustained in gambling agreed to go down to Hongkong, but on arriva there the would-be victim duped the kidnapper. A man who used to make a living by entrap ping snakes which he sold in the market wa at length obliged to give up his trade on ac count of old age. On one day, however, as h went out of his door a snake came forward for having cought so many of his companions The man died a day or two afterwards and tw

dogs who were very much attached to him on be coming aware of the death of their master starved themselves to death. A surious tight took place between two friend on account of an old debt of thirty table. An attack was made by an armed band apo an opium den, but as the shop closed well the found it difficult to get in ; neither did the

persist in their endeavours as the shouts for help collected a large concourse. NOTES FROM CHINESE PAPERS.

"DAILY NEWS" TRANSLATIONS. On 29th March the Emperor removed his abod to the Nan Hai Paluce, so as to be near th Empress, to whom he has to pay a seremoniou visit every day. Strict surveillance is kept b the Gendarmeria fround the palace to prevent to Imperial repose, being broken by firing of crakers, street cries, or wrangling voices, the blowin of horns or noisy marriage or funeral procession

The Kelung coal mines consist of the follow ing :- One round pit or well 110 feet deep, at 17 feet wide at the mouth; one square pit feet deep, and 10 feet wide at the mouth. O borizontal gallery 12 foet in breadth, 6 feet hig and containing more than 2,000 feet of railwal besides side galleries branching off it. Over 14 tops of coal are extracted per diem. There a two overseers, an Hnglishman named Ealie and a Cantonese, Mr. Chen Pin-san, Ti thirteen bridges between the mines and the se coast which were destroyed when the French were giving trouble, have all been repaired.

The Acting Governor of Kiangsu, Hwan

has issued a proclamation calling attention to the sumptuary laws of the Collected Statutes of the Ta-ts'ing Dynasty, which he says will hencefor be vigorously enforced as regards wearing a parel. The people of this province, (which sludes Southow and Shanghai) are, he observes, n toriously extravagant in their way of living, st ving to surpass each other in the richness of the apparel, and their want of propriety is shown The continuation of the proclamation on the the crowded state of flower boats and restauran things. It is a Governor's duty to watch or the behaviour of the people committed to charge, and he warns them therefore that you men dressed in a foolish extravagant way w of their fathers, elder brothers, and tutors ;

Rice from the South is conveyed to Tients

as is well known, partly in the steamers of t C. M. S. N. Company, and partly in Shangi and Ningpo junks, which start in fleets on the Northern journey in March every year, and he been in the habit of anchoring, after they ha reached Taku, at Chah-k'ow and Ma-kia-k'o Last year the Railway Company resolved to bu an iron bridge over the river at Wao-t'ow, bell junks which arrive every spring to be Taotai, Superintendent of Customs, to selsite for the bridge above Ma-kia-k'd to this arrangement, as their establishments near the latter place, and the French Municipal Council, alive to the advantages it would con on the settlement, were anxious to have a brid cess of construction, and the rice-junks, a gr shallowness of the water and the rapidity of current, and prevented by the piles of the brid a crowd near the Customs; and as this is A young boy redeemed two suits of clothes the steamer anchorage, we should not be a prised to hear that several collisions between junks and steamers have occurred.

On 25th March two large portraits, one were conveyed in a great procession from house of Tao, a Vice President of the Board War, in the Kia-kia Hutung (Street) to Hunan guild in the Lan-mien Hutung hibiting the tearing off of the seals from pro- was canonised as Tseng Wen-cheng), was native of Hunan, and the father of the Marq Tseng. He died in 1872. Tso Tsung-t'ang. band of twelve musicians; and twenty-f

and the Vice-President of the Board of V is a native of the same province. The process was composed of Hunan men and contain two yellow palanquins, each carried by el men, for the portraits to be conveyed. dragon banners, incense-burners, and other p set burning before them, and the Vice Presid of the Board of War and other Hunan office

which from its originality and peculiarity cannot but give an inkling into the absurd notions pairs of boards with hoporitic inscriptions; feetly ridiculous. Sharks, he goes on to say, and gentlemen, all in gala robes, rever

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"LAERTES."

SAKI AND KOBE.

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agreed that on 1st and 2nd April offerings of certain landowners in the French Concession. food should be made to their departed spirits The difficulties of the new site are aggravated. and paper money burnt for their use, and that by the rapid silting up of the river along the theatrical troupes should be engaged to give right bank, caused by the bunding and piling performances during the whole of those two days, operations of some of the foreign landowners oforesaid. It is in the Peiho as it was in early days in Shanghai : everybody does what he likes THE NORTH CHINA INSURANCE with the river, and there is no controlling authority to regulate the fancies of individual owners. COMPANY, LIMITED. THE YELLOW RIVER. The following is the report for presentation to the tenth ordinary general meeting of share-An intelligent young secretary now here, sa holders, to be held at the Office of the Company he Chinese Times, who was stationed with Hankow Road, Shanghai, on the 26th inst. :chief at Cheng Chou from the time of the break until about September last, cays that he, and The directors have much pleasure in laying before the shareholders the accompanying balance sheet and all his fellows, considered no reparations were working accounts of the company to 31st December. possible. The flow of the river through the 1887 .- In accordance with the terms of the resolubreach was tremendous and seemingly irresistible tion passed at the last ordinary general meeting this account has now been closed by transferring Tagls as everything thrown down was instantly swept away by the rushing torrent. It was not possible 10,083,30 to liability account, and adding Taels 20,000 to put in piling, as at the worst place the water The total profits of the year amount to Taols 180,865.69 | was very deep and full of whirlpools, and stones bricks, stalks of millet, bags of earth and sand 10 per cent, upon the paid-up capital ... Tls. 116,578.61 though thrown down in immense quantities, 15 ... on shareholders' contributions ... 145,287.08 were carried name so fast that in a few were carried away so fast that in a few Addition to the reserve fund ..... 1888.—The premium income, which showed a large Wu Ta-cheng, so it is said, changed the tactics. increase during the first half of the year, has been well maintained, and the lesses and claims settled be. He re-organized the labourers into manageable tween 30th June and 31st December are considerably gang, collected enormous supplies of material less than the amount paid under that head for the cor- ready for use, and as soon as the river water fell responding period of the previous year. The amount and the torrent at the breach became less vioat credit of the whole year's working on 81st December was Tacls 809,969.57, and, after deducting losses lent, he threw down material incessantly by and claims since paid and estimated in connection with night and day, and finally at the worst part known casualties, there is a balance in hand of Tae s when the waters were low, obtained a stable 578,921.76, from which the following interim appro- foundation, which he strongthened, and then, finally, built up the embankment. It is said Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. upon the paid-up the works have been carried on systematically, A Bonus of 15 per-cent on shareholders' contribuand for China with rare honesty. The labourers get their pay, the material is paid for regularly, Interest scorned on the reserve fund to 31st Decem- peculation and squeezing are severely punished when discovered, the gangs of men are fairly And the addition of Tacls 40,000.50 to the reserve well fed, and very strict system of supervision and discipline has been kept up. Respectful RESERVE NOND. mention is made of Li Hung-tsao whose disgrace By the above addition the reserve fund will be inwas unmerited. DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS. We have no further direct news from Kai he directors and auditors retire in accordance fong I'u or Cheng Chou about the Yellow River the provisions of the articles of association, but, being breach repairs, but the Peking officials, in view eligible, offer themselves for re-election. of the reports before them, seem to have n By order of the Court of directors; misgivings about the new embankment, which ALBER Ross, Secretary. they say, will stand all shocks and strains. The BALLANCE SHEET, SIST DECEMBER, 1889. Yellow River is rising daily, its volume of waters is now large, and the current is waxing shares at \$50= ..... \$250,000.0.0 BANGKOK. @ 5/=Taels 1,000,000.00 The Customs returns for 1888 show again an 176,470.59 increase in the importation of sugar and mo-1,176,470,50 280,000,00 lasses. Siam used to be in former years a sugar 12,025,26 exporting country. The imports for the last five years have been as follows :--Molasses. 823,920 6.082 \*\*\*\*\* ..... 37,175 ..... Tie. 57,055.34 We understand that a telegram from Engand has been received at the British. Consulate Tie. 30,083,30 here intimating that Mr. C. E. W. Stringer had been appointed assistant to Mr. W. J. Archer, Acting British Vice-Consul at Chiengmai. Mr. Stringer will proceed to Chiengmai in a few days along with Dr. Cheek's party. While the numerous friends of Mr. Stringer 445,643,41 here will regret his departure from Bangkok, they cannot but feel satisfaction at his well de-304,326.16 served advancement in the service. - Mercantile To liability account for 1887 and provious ORIENTAL BANK CORPORA-Tls. 2,303,197.21 TION. On the 4th ult an extraordinary general meet-Tie." By each on current and deposit accounts ing of the sharebolders in this company was held By Chinese Imperial Government loan of 604,703.04 at the banking house, 40, Threadneedle-street, London, E.C .-- Mr. W. W. Cargill, who presided, by Chinese Imperial Government loan of said they had met to approve a Bill "to define and explain the powers of the corporation and for other purposes." They found it necessary to apply to Parliament to settle some matters not By Shanghai Municipal loan of 1888 ..... juite satisfactory in the memorandum and articles of association. The most important point to be dealt with was the question of dual office and branches...... Tis. 64,483.37 capital. They had taken power to issue shares in sterling and also in silver money, of China Steam Launch Company, Limited-400 per and India. All persons who knew Cash at bankers ...... £5,191 13 11 thing about banking in the East had look-Short losas on security ... 86,000 0 0 ed upon that as a feature of great value, not British Goyt. securities ... 63,885 8 1 only with regard to their own bank, but as a-14,990 5 8 principle which would probably be of great use in the future. In the matter of exchange, the difference in the value between silver and gold (B. stock) ..... 5,715 19 0 was one of the great troubles apertaining to all | Electric Company, Limited-\$8 per share. thousan panking. As the value of the rupse and the dollar had decreased all banks carrying on business in India had had to make provision for the fall by writing off from year to year the de-preciative amount of those foreign coins as com-pared with English money; so that for many years the profits had been reduced. The rupoe now was worth is. 4id., whereas when the bank started it was worth about 1s. 8d., or la. 9d. They, like their neighbours, had lection ..... 27,641 9 10 to make provision in the accounts for the change. Those in the East who did business with the bank carried it on in the currency of the country, in India and Caylon in rupees, and in China, Singapore, and Japan in dollars. From £283,918 18 9 1,336,089,12 custom the people in the East liked that mode of keeping their accounts. These becoming shareholders were gratified to find that they could take capital in the company in the currency of the country in which they lived. Up to the present time they had issued shares to the 50,000.00 extent of 400,000 in rupee currency, and 200,000 in the currency of China and Japan. Some legal difficulties had been raised with regard to this mode of issue, and they had been enhanced by the celebrated judgment given last year with reference to shares issued at a discount. WORKING ACCOUNT 1887. They found themselves at last constrained to see whether Parliament would not come to the front and enable them to put on a right footing the silver issue of capital which they looked upon as Tis. 28,978.11 of so much value. Then there was another small point to be mentioned with regard to the Bill. By a printer's error in their memorandum of Halphong.... 20.02 association a comma had been misplaced, making Manile 29.81 return premis, 1st July to 31st Decemit appear that they took over business in "British dependencies, in the East and elsewhere," instead of British dependencies in the East, and Tls. 28,976.14 elsewhere" (a laugh). They thought it best to correct the error.—The Bill was approved.— WORKING ACCOUNT 1888. To the Dear .- A person cured of deafness and noises in the head of 23 years' standing o transfer and certificate fees, lat July to by a simple remedy, will send a description of it free to any person who applies to Nicholson, 21, Bedford Square, London, W. C., England. [498] COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. sgency commissions, 1st July to 3let SATURDAY, 20th April. y agency charges, 1st July to 31st Decem-OPIUM. Quotations are:y general charges, 1st July to Slat De-New Malwa...... \$580 per picul, alice. of 2 to 24 oatties. y Hongkong charges, let July to Slat Dey Yokohama charges, lat July to 31st De-7,774.88 Patna (New) .......\$535 to \$5371 per chest. g directors' and auditors' fees ..... EXCHANGE. N LONDON .-depreciation farniture account ..... Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight ......2, 11; Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ..... 3/01 Credits, at 4 months' sight ......3/01 Tis. 715,628.0 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' sight......3/01 HE TIENTSIN-RAILWAY-BRIDGE. Says the Chinese Times of the 6th inst :-Credits, at 4 months' sight .......3.85 here has been trouble this week about the rail-NEW YORK. Bank Bills, on demand.......73 ay bridge which is in course of construction tween the French Concession and the salt aps. The large fleet of heavy junks recently rived from Shanghai and Ningpo prowded ON BOMBAY.-Hongkong, 1st January, 1884. river below the bridge and met with ON CALCUTTA .-little detention in passing through owing DORTLAND CLMENT the absence of proper regulation. The junk ople, resenting the mere presence of the J. B. WHITE & BROS. idge, of course made a row, and finttered SHANGHAL .-SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA. dove-cotes of the railway directorate, who Hongkong, 11th April, 1883. ug, in which there was no difficulty whatever, SHARES, he work on the bridge was at once suspended THE Undersigned STEWARD of ROYAL Quotations are :-NAVAL BEAMEN'S CLUB, offers the abovedeference to this clamour, and subsequently Rongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-159 iors were issued to remove the bridge, which named sum to any Person or Persons who is per cent. premium. i not be an easy task. The railway authori- Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limitedable to prove that he has purchased Wine, Beer

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For further information as to Freig or Passage, apply to the Avency of the Company, No. 50A. Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, Agent. Hongkong, 10th April, 1889. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

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Hongkong, 18th April, 1889. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. THE 3/3 L. I. I. German Bark

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D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Van-Freight will be received on Board until 4 P.M. on "ye 24th April. Parcels must be sent to our Office and stanid be marked to address in full: and the same will be received by us until 5 P.M. the

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A RECOGNITION.

Jeremish Pennyoomognick remained quiet. friend's house at Bridlington for some weeks. "As so much time has slippe laway since your disappearance," said John Dale, "it does not much matter whother a little more be sent tobo Running after it. I dan't go to Margatrord very well just now; I am busy, and have a delicat cess on my hands that I will not entrust toothers; If you can and will wait my convenience. I pro mist you I will go. If not-go yourself. But upon my word, i should dearly like to be at Mergatrovd to witness your resurrection."

Jeremiah waited .. He had been waskened his illuses, and had become alarmed about him- the flood P will. He shrank from exertion, from strong emotion, ferring for his heart. In an amusing story by a Swiss novelist, a man believes that he has frages growing on his heart, and he comes t live for this fungus, to est only such things as he because he couses to take interest in politics, bethe fungus existing solely in his imagination. Mr. Pennyeomequick had become alarmed about

of to spasms, to feel stabs: he suspected mlass to discover whether he were more or less abnormal. The rest from business, the relief from responsibility, were good for him. The even life at his friend's house suited him. But he did not rapidly gain strongth. He walked on the downs when the weather

permitted, not too fast lest he should unduly distrass his heart, nor too slowly lest he should catch cold. He was dieted by his doctor, and ate decilely, what was meted to him; if he could have had his sleep and wakefulness measured as well, he would have been content, but sleep would not come when called, banished by thoughts of the past, and questions concerning the future. John Dale was a pleasure man to be with; fond of a good story, and able to tell one, fond of a good dirner, and-being a bachelor-able weather, oh ! what murmurers, sad murmurers to keep a cook who could furnish one; fond of good wire, and with a cellar stocked with it, He was happy to have his old comrade with him; and Jeremish enjoyed being the guest of John Dale, enjoyed discussing old acquaintances, re- force-stimulating elements, "elements." viewing old scenes, refreshing ancient jokes. Thus time passed, and passed pleasantly, be drawn into conversation at this moment, when though not altegether satisfactorily to Jeromiah,

about his heart. ing; he went to Mergatroyd to see how matters tongue, sir," When he repeated a word progressed there. He arrived, as has already ruffled and awelled and turned himself about like heen stated, at a moment when his appearance a pluming turkey, and as though believing that afforded relief to the widow. He talked, with he had said a good thing. "I agree with them; Janet, and with Sa'ome; but, he had not many I would subordinate every consideration t hours at his disposal, and his interviews with the health, every consideration, sir, except religion, Cusworths were necessarily brief. He was which towers, sir, steeples and weather cocks chliged to consult with Janet about her affairs, high above every other mandane con-sid-erand that occupied most of his time. From ation." As he prenounced each syllable apart. Salome he learned mothing concerning the will more than what he had strondy heard. She told lips, he turned himself about; scattering his prehim no particulars; and, indeed, considered it. unnecessary to discuss it, as her engagement to

Philip altered her prospects.

"But, bless mo, this must have been a case of love at first sight," said Mr. Dale. "Why. Sa. dom shot, and looked more closely at his interlome, you did not know him till the other day." locator. He saw a man of about his own height of my dear uncle, but I, somehow, often thought of and a little fretted shout him. I was troubled handsome man, but with a mottled face and that dear uncle had not made friends with his nose inclined to radness. There was a something brother, and that he kept his nephew at arm's \_\_ Joremiah could not tell what, it was in his face length. I pitied Mr. Philip before I knew him. \_\_that made him suspect he had seen the man I could not hear that he had done anything to before; or, if he had not seen him before, had deserve this neglect; and what little was told me about the cause of difference between uncleand his face, not steadily, lest he should seem discourteb ather did not make me think that the estrange ous, but hastily, and with a searchingly. No, ment ought to last and be extended to the next he had not seen him previously, and yet there generation. In my stupid way I sometimes tried was certainly something in his face that was to bring unels to another mind, and to think more familiar. that I am going to marry Philip is that I may The iodine in the seaweed here—the i-o-dine, AND GODOWN COMPANY, I MUTED, at Kowloon, have a real right to call Mr. Pennycomequick my uncle? Hitherto I called him so to himself. It has been analysed, and, whereas slong the sea-

"How about the identification of Mr. Jeremish's hody ?" agt and the surgeon. "With that I had to thing to do. I was not called on to give my opinion. Mrs. Sidebottom now are; where the proportions are almost reswere to it. The body were the surfect I know halong d to Mr. Pennycomequick, but that was four decimal eight, and the potass at three deall. How he came by it I cannot explain. Mrs. Sidebottom was so convinced that her view was correct that she had an explanation to give why the corps worn hardly any other clothes. I did not believe when it was found, and I do not believe now, that the body was that of angle." "But you do not doubt that Mr. Pennycome-

quick is dead p" "Oh, no! of course not. If he had been aliv he would have returned to us. There was no and contemplate the beneficence of Providence. thing to hinder him from doing so."

"Nothing of which you are aware." John Dale heard a favourable account of Philip from every one to whom he spoke, except Janet, who did not appreciate his good qualities, and 1 slive to his defects. He could not but a colossal fortune." the factory, but he was a shrewd man, picked up spinions from the station. master, from some with whom he walked up the when you have it?" hill, from a Mergatroyd tradesman who travelled with him in the same railway carriage. All were decidedly in Philip's favour. . The popular voice was appreciative. He was regarded as a

man of business habits and integrity of character. John Dale returned to Bridlington. entered his house, and then looked steadily at for the reduction of muscular, vascular, osseous, ...... will never coase. Salome-"

" Well, what about Salome?" Jeremiah's mouth quivored. John Dalesmiles Young people narryally gravitate towards each the cartilaginous system it is sovereign, sov-erother. There is only one commandment given eign. to men that receives general and cheerful acceptance, save from a few perverse creatures such as you and me-and that commandment is to be fenitful and multiply and replenish the earth Salome is engaged to be married.

Jeremiah's face became like chalk. He pu his hand over his eyes, then hastily withdraw Dale waw his smotion, and went on talking so to cover it and give him time to master it. have read somewhere, that in medicaval times the German cities, the marriageable young men were summoned before the burgomaster on New Year's Day and ordered to get married befe 3 Easter on pain of expulsion from the city. Bachelerhood was regarded as unpatriotic if not

criminal. It is a pity this law was not in force descend to take my card, and if I can induce you notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M. here a few years ago-and that you and I were not policed into matrimony: Now it is too late: both of us have acquired backelor habits and it would be cruelty to force us into a condition which we have exchewed, and for which we have ceased to be fitted."

"Whom is she going to marry?" asked Jereminh, controlling his emotions by an effort. "No other than your nephow Philip. I wil tell you what I know." Then John Dale gave his friend a succinct

"I heard nothing but gelden opinions of him," said Date. "The only person to qualify these was that puss, Janet, and she of course thinks no one good enough for her dear sister Salume."

Jeremiah's heart swelled. How easy it would be for him to speil all the schemes that had been ger's voice an intenstion that seemed familiar to pleasing fragrance to the breath. hatched since his disappearance. Philip was dereminh; in itself nothing decided, but sufficient, reckening on becoming a well-to-do manu. like a scent, to recall something, yet not pro- preserves and beautifies the hair, and can be factures; on founding a bousehold; was looking nounced enough to enable him to determine what also had in a golden colour. forward to a blissful domestic life enriched with it was in the past that was recalled. Again the love of Salome. Jeremiah had but to show Jeremiah looked at the gentleman, and his attenhimself; and all these plans would disappear as tion was all at once directed to his great-coat. the de ert mirage; Philip would have to return | "How odd-how strange!" he muttered. to his law yer's clerkship and abandon every prospect of domestic happiness and commercial success. gentleman. That such a splendid opportunity [1139] "One thing more," said Dale, " I do not quite of making a formue should lie at our feet-lis like the looks of my little pet, Janet. Her literally at our feet, without figure of speech,troubles have we n her more than I suspected. for there it is, in the sea-weed, here it is, in the Besides she never had the rebustness of her air we inhale, now humming in the grass of the si-ter. It is hard that wits and constitution down? Perhaps you may like,"-he fumbled should go to one of the twins, and leave the in his great coat pocket. of her scantily provided with both."

declared he must vivit his patients, and left his brown study; and then he, also, rose, put on his capitalists may embark, but also the widow can cliffs, to muse on what he had heard, and to the espitalist receiving in proportion as the decide his future course.

to bear. He thought be had taught himself to on my personal security -- but I reckon that the think of her no longer in the light of a possible | return will be at the rate . ' zenty-four decimal wife. His good sense had convinced him that it three—the decimal is in: tant, because the would be unwise for him to think of marriage calculation has been strict! with her, it told him also that he was as yet too infirm of purpose to trust himself in her presence. of managers.

Could he now return ? If he did, in what canaenable him to marry, could be Jeromiah en ench the first cell is for five shillings per share." dure the daily spectacle of his nephew's happiness?—endure to witness the transfer to another quick. "Earl Schofield! Earl Schofield! I do of that love and devotion which had been given not know much o peerage-not in my line to him? And, if he banished Philip, what would |-but the name is be the effect on Salome ! Would she not resent | Excuse me, but the was a great scoundrelhis return, and regret that he had not died in

know that he was alive it would be almost the must go to him." same thing as returning into their midet, as it would disconcert their arrangements effectually The wisest course for himself, and the kindest to swear he was in my greatcoat." He watched is convinced will disagree with the fungue; to en- thom, would be for him to depart from England the man as he strode away. "And that hat! gage in athietic snorts, with the hope of shaking for a twelvementh or more, without giving token off the funcies, to give up reading the newspapers, that he still existed, and then on his return he would be able to form an imprejudiced opinion ing ougross of in his fungue, and finally to dis- of his nephew, and act accordingly. If he found corer that he has been subjected to a delusion, him what, according to Dale's account, he promised to become - a practical, hardworking, honourable manager—he would leave the conduct of his heart; he put his finger periodically to his the business in his hands, only reclaiming that pulse to ascertain its regularity, imagined him, share which had been grasped by Mrs. Side bottom, which, mercover, he would feel a-peris a samined his lips and evelide at the haps malicious pleasure in taking from her. He seated himself on one of the braches bloodless than the day before, and shanned emo- placed at intervals on the down for the contion as dangerous to a heart whose action was venience of visitors, and looked out to sea. The sun shone, and the day, for a winter's day, was warm. Very little air stirred, and Jeremiah thought that to rest himself on the bench could do him no harm, so, long as he did not remain

there till be felt chilled. As he set on the bench, immersed in his troubled thoughts, a gentleman came up, bowed and

took a place at his side. "Beautiful weather! beautiful weather!" said the stranger "and such weather. I am glad to say; is general at Bridlington. Of the three hundred and sixty five days in the year the average of days on which the sun shines is two bundred and seventy-three decimal four. When we get an interruntion of what we regard as bad we are against a beneficent Providence. The so-called bad weather dissipates the insalubrious gases and brings in a fresh supply of invigorating ozone, life-sustaining oxygen, and the other

Jeremiah nodded. He was not well pleased t

occuried with his own thoughts. who was impatient at being unwell, and uneary . "Lia santé avant tout, say the French." continued the gentleman, "with that terseness At length John Dale fulfilled his undertake which characteries the Gallie tongue—the as though such was a pearl be dropped from his cious particles, till he faced Jeremiah. "You, yourself, sir, I perceive, are in search of that in-

estimable prize, health-Hygiene, I mean. Mr. Pennycomequick was startled at this ran-"No; I had not seen him till after the death with long, hair; whiskers that were elaborately curied, and perhaps darkened with antimony;

ou know-Mr. Dale-one reason why I am glad out specially as the sanatorium of the future. of the Hongroung and jowloon Wharp sir-reaches a percentage unattained elsewhere. whence delivery may be obtained. and mamma and one or two others, but I knew side resorts on the English Channel it is two instant, will be subject to rent. decimal four to five decimal one of notass, there is a steady accession of jodine in the seaweed, as signees are requested to present all claims for you mount the east coast the east coast, sir - damages and/or - ages not later than the till it reaches its maximum at the spot where we 30th inst. otherw ... ey will not be recognized. versed; the jodine standing at five, or, to be exact, cimal two. This is a very interesting fact, sir, and as important as it is interesting. As it is

> in-ter-est ing." The gentleman worked his elbows, as though uncomfortable in his overcost, that did not lit

"The iodine is suspended in the atmosphere, as also is the ozone; but it is concentrated in the alge. Conceive of the advantage to humanity, not only in gathering into one focus the distributed iodine of the universe, but also in discovering this fact to me, and enabling me and a few others to whom I confide the secret, to realise out of the iodine. I will not say a competence,

"And pray," said Jeremiah, with a tone of may be obtained. sareasm in his voice, "what is the good of iodine

"What is the good—the good of iodine?" The centleman turned round solidly and looked at Mr. Pennycomequiek from head to have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining foot. "Do you mean to tell me, sir, that you do after the 25th March, will be subject to rent. not know for what purpose an all-wise Providence has put iodine in the world? Why it is one of be left in the Godowns, where they will be "News for you, cld boy!" shouted he, as he the most potent, I may say it is the only agent, aramined on Wednesday, the 1st inst., at 4 Jersmish to sue how he would receive the news abnormal secretions." From the way in which he brought. "What do you think? Wonders he employed such words as vascular, osseous, abnormal, and secretions, it was apparent that they gave the speaker thorough enjoyment to use them. "For any and every form of disorder of

"For the heart also?" asked Jeremiah, becom-

ing interested in iodine-"For all cardiac affections-supreme. It is known as yet to very few-only to such as know if through me—that Bridlington is a spot so abounding in iodine, so marked out by nature as a resort for all those who suffer from glandular affections, stiff joints, rickets, cardial infirmities -and, according to a system I am about to make public-tubercular phthisis."

He turned himself about and shook his mouth, as shaking comfits out of a bag, "tu-ber-cular Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, After a pause, in which he smiled, well-rleased be obtained. with himself, he said, " Perhaps you will con-

to take a share in Iodinopolis." "Indinopolis?" "The great sanatorium of the future. A

company is being formed to buy up land, to ing undeliver effor the 25th inst, will be suberect ranges of beautiful marine villas, to rear ject to rentpulstial hotels. There is a low church here already, and if we can persuade his grace the sented to the undersigned on or before the 25th Archbishop to help us to a high church also, the instant, or they will not be recognized. place will be ready, the nest prepared for the birds. Then we propose to give a bonus to every account of what he had heard. He told him lington, for the first three or four years, till the physician who recommends a patient to Bridtide of fushion has set in so strong that we can "Do you gradge her to your nephew?" asked dispense with bonuses, the patients themselves insisting on being sent here. What said Ledru "I do not know Philip." auswered Jeremiah Rollin? " I am the leader of the people, therefore I must follow them " Ha handed his card to

Mr. Pennycomequick, who looked at it and saw " Mr. BEAPLE YEO. Financier."

Every now and then there eame in the stran-

"What, sir ! what is strange ?" asked the

"Excuse me," said Jeremish; "that over-coat CHOP. Jeremiah said no more. He was looking bears the most extraordinary resemblance to gloomily before him into vacancy. John Dale - "but he checked himself.

"Made by my tailer in New Bond-street," said Mr. Yeo. "Here, sir, is the prospectus. Jeremiah continued for some minutes in a This is a speculation on which not only large evercoat and muffler, and went forth to the contribute her mite, and reap as they have sown widow, as the widow. I myself, guarantee The tidings of Salome's ongagement were hard eighteen and a half per cent. That I guarantee

"You will see," said Mr. 120, "that our Chair. city !- as the maker or marrer of Philip's for | man is the Earl of Schofield. His Lordship has tunes? If he took him into partnership, so as to taken up a hundred and twenty shares of £10 " Earl Schofield!" marmured Mr. Pennycome artome. - Earl Scoffold -

," Hah!" interrupted Mr. Yeo and waved his cane, "there is my secretary signalling to me If he were to allow those in Mergatroyd to from away youder on the dunes. Excuse me-I He rose and walked hastily away. "How very odd," said Jeremiah. "I could

> -surely I know that also." (To be continued. FIRMS NOTICE

URING my absence Mr. JAMES TO. 51, PEEL STREET ETEPHEN will Act as GENERAL MANAGER OF CRUICKSHANK, & Co., LD. WM: CRUICKSHANK. General Manager.

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aptain Thomson, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignces of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersigns ture by the undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. The steamer is berthed at the Kowloon Piers. and any Cargo impeding her discharge will there

he landed infi . 'owns and stored at Consigners'

Optional Cargo will by forwarded on nuless notice to the contrary he given before Noon TO-DAY, the 17th instant. No Claim's will be admitted after the Goods have left the Jodowns, and all Goods remaining after the 22nd inst. will be subject to rent. Al claims must reach us before 4 P.M. of the 25th instant, or they will not be recognized. A representative of this office will attend at the Godowns at 1.1 A.M. on the 26th inst. to examine

damaged packages. No Fire Insurance will be offected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, 17th April, 1839. FROM SOURABAYA, SAMARANG, BA-TAVIA AND SINGAPORE.

GOALPARA." having arrived from the al- re ports, Consignees kindly of them. I was so grieved to think that "You are not, I presume, aware," continued of Cargo by her and by t. S. Roma from FIRE DWELLING HOUSE No. Mr. Philip should grow up in ignorance of the the gentleman, "that there is a very remarkable bladros are hereby inform ... that their goods nobility and worth of his nucle's character: Do and unique feature of this bay which points it are being landed at their ri i into the godowns. May. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 24th

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Con-Bills of Ladin. be countersigned by JARDANE, MATHESON & Co.,

Ageuts. Hongkong, 17th April, 1889. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. S. "BAYERN." FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF CALL.

IFIHE above named steamer having arrived. Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium. Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery Optional cargo will be landed here in Hong-

korg unless notice to the contrary be given before 11 A.M., TO-DAY, the 18th inst. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to

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Hougkong, 18th April, 1889: "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

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TO-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remain- in his Studio or at Mesers. KELLY & WALSH'S.

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